

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application for:

Steven Teig, et al.

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DIAGONAL ROUTING BY

USING SEVERAL SETS OF

LINES

Examiner: Annette M. Thompson

Group Art Unit: 2825

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Office action dated 07/01/2005. This extension will extend the time the response is due from 10/01/2005 to 11/01/2005.

- A one month extension to 11/01/2005 is requested; the extension fee is \$120.00.
- A credit card payment form referencing docket no. SPLX.P0022 is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under

37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to

Deposit Account No. 50 1128 referencing docket no. SPLX.P0022

Respectfully submitted,

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